

THE CHURCHES

Reverend Mr. Kincaid
on the Plague.

Control of Soul Over Body--Rev. Mr.
Pearson on Gratitude--At St.
Andrew's Cathedral.

Interesting services were held yesterday in the various churches. The music of the Central Union was of unusual excellence, the choir rendering the difficult choruses with power and feeling. Mrs. Montague Turner was at her best in the morning offertory solo, "The Valley of Shadows," by Barri. Her singing always receives the most hearty appreciation of her hearers, who are drawn into sympathy with the singer and the song. In the evening Mr. A. L. Parmley of the Boston Lyric Company, again delighted the congregation with an offertory solo, "A Dream of Paradise," by Hamilton Gray, a most delightful and effective composition. The services at the Methodist Episcopal and St. Andrew's Cathedral were noticeably good.

Central Union.
At the Central Union church Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Kincaid, delivered a sermon that had a general bearing upon the epidemic of plague in the Chinese quarters of the city. There was a large congregation present, and the discourse was listened to with marked attention.
Rev. Mr. Kincaid read from the twelfth chapter of St. Luke, beginning at the twenty-second verse, and took his text from the ninety-first Psalm. Throughout the sermon there was frequent recurrence to the fact that the mind is master of the body, and numerous illustrations were given in support of the statement of the speaker. A strong spirit, said he, can overcome great difficulties which would surely overwhelm the faint-hearted. In pestilence, in flood and all the trials of life the soul can rise superior to the body and gain the victory. In like manner righteousness can triumph over sin.

Methodist Episcopal Church.
Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Pearson delivered a sermon, from the text, "What shall I render unto the Lord for all His benefits toward me?" Psalms 116:12-14. He said in part:

The present is a good time for retrospection. By knowing what has been of blessing and help to us in the past year we may seek the same to help us in the year to come. To know what has caused us evil, to realize our faults and sins may be helpful in indicating the dangers of life. To note one's defects and sins is not a very pleasant occupation, but it may be extremely profitable. However, for one look at self take ten looks at God. Continued dwelling upon the evils of one's life and nation fills one with bitterness, makes him censorious, and destroys his hope. Views of God's love and mercy and faithfulness lead one to believe in Him for pardon, to hope in His mercy and fill him with ambition to strive after a better and nobler life. The past year speaks to us of God's benefits, bodily, spiritual, family, business, civil, ecclesiastical and disciplinary. Under the weight of the numerous benefits we each feel an obligation to render our best gifts to God. What shall we give? Let each heart answer for itself. The Psalmist first accepted God's salvation symbolized by the drink offering. This act honors God more highly than any other act man can perform. Secondly, he called upon the name of the Lord in praise and prayer, a worthy and gracious occupation for those who receive God's benefits, and thirdly, he paid his vows. Man should keep his word with God. An appreciation of God's benefits disposes the heart to do God's bidding, to honor Him in all actions, and to serve Him loyally.

At St. Andrew's Cathedral.
Rev. Alex. Mackintosh founded his discourse to the Second Congregation at St. Andrew's Cathedral yesterday morning, upon Isaiah 35:3, "Strengthen ye the weak hands and confirm the feeble knees." The speaker, availing himself of the spiritual pleasure associated with the season of the year, made a strong appeal to his hearers, for both an individual and combined effort for stronger interest in the work of the church.

He said in part: Remembering all the great benefits the world has received through Christ's presence on earth, benefits which cannot be ascribed to civilization, for with all their boasted prominence in this direction, the ancient Greeks and Romans did not possess such institutions as the hospital, asylums for the indigent, the deaf, dumb and blind, and the insane, and many other charitable institutions which may truly be said to have been founded upon the teachings of the Redeemer, should we not, in contemplating these sacred truths, strengthen our hands for the new year?

The means whereby we may attain this strength, is by a closer obedience to His commandments, a greater faith in His mercy and truth. The law which can raise this faith, is the law of Christ. Come to Him. Lean on Him. Obey His commandments. Love one another. Practice self-denial. Walk in His footsteps and grace, not merely acknowledge His beauty of character and precepts, but practice the teachings of Him who took upon himself the sins of the world, and brought to earth all that is necessary for the comfort and happiness of mankind.

A Midnight Wedding.
The wedding of Dr. A. N. Sinclair and Miss Flora M. Perry took place at midnight Sunday night, at Mrs. Perry's home, corner of Punchbowl and School streets, the Catholic bishop officiating. It was a quiet family affair. Dr. and Mrs. Sinclair will go to Waipae, on this island, where they will remain two or three weeks. The bride is a sister of Judge Antone Perry of the Circuit Court.

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

The Farewell to Old--Greeting to New--Watch Meeting.

Silence was absent from Honolulu last night, when the old year passed into history and the closing twelve months of the greatest century began its cycle. The terrific noise began simultaneously all over the city, from Ewa to Waikiki, from Paoa to the harbor's mouth, and it seemed that even Lanai and Maui might have heard, and Kaula, and far Hawaii. The farewell and greetings were extremely hearty. From firecrackers to thunder of bombs, from the horns to the deep rumble of whistles in the harbor, and in the factories, from tinkle of hand bells to the resonant clanging of church bells the hall and farewell came, perforated and punctuated by the firing of revolvers and giant bombs. Native bands were out in force and lent melody to the din of clanging and booming and screeching. From several minutes before 12 o'clock until the new year 1900 was safe in swaddling clothes, the warm reception was kept up. It was a noisy and enthusiastic night, a creditable welcome to the new year.

Watch meetings were held in various parts of the city, in churches and private homes. The most largely attended was at the Methodist Episcopal church, where the Young People's societies held services, beginning at 9 o'clock with prayer by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Pearson. A song service followed, and Mr. Russell of Mill's Institute delivered an address. There was reading of scriptural texts contributed by the audience, by Mr. Taggart, followed by a testimony meeting led by Miss Yarrow of the Central Union church. Mr. Erdman of Palama Chapel made an address, when a thirty minutes' recess was announced. The time was spent in handshaking and social chat. A very entertaining and helpful talk was made by Capt. Matthews of the Salvation Army, and after remarks by Rev. Mr. Perry of Kamehameha Chapel, the closing moments of the old year were spent in prayer.

The Salvation Army held an enthusiastic watch meeting in Y. M. C. A. hall, and a watch meeting was also held at St. Clement's church at Makiki.

Dr. McMillan Surprised.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Saturday night to Dr. McMillan, government physician, at his home at Waianae. Light refreshments were served, and a native quintette club furnished music for the party, which lasted from 8 to 2 o'clock. Those who assisted in making the occasion a success were: Dr. and Mrs. Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Morton, Mr. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Shephard, Miss Shephard, Mr. and Mrs. Guild, Miss McMillan, Mr. Murray, Mr. Kerr and others.

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TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS.
Members of Pacific Lodge, Lodge of Progress and all sojourning brethren are fraternally invited to attend.

By order of the W. M.
K. R. G. WALLACE,
Secretary.

PIONEER BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Bank of Hawaii, Ltd., will be held Jan. 5, 1900, at 10:30 a. m. in the directors' room of the bank.

F. C. ATHERTON,
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Honolulu, Dec. 27, 1899.

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AUSTRALIA.....FEB. 14	AUSTRALIA.....FEB. 20
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COPTIC.....MARCH 6	GAELIC.....MARCH 4
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